

## ARREST



**HBID ARREST NUMBER:** 14-0446

**DEFENDANT(S) NAME**      **DOB**  
Phillips, Derrick Lee      08/22/68

6801 Hollywood Blvd. #169  
Hollywood, Ca. 90028 (323) 465-  
0122

<b>ARREST CODE</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>
41.27© LAMC		1030
Drinking in Public	05/06/14	Hours
<b>OFFICER:</b>	Anderson, D. # 127	
<b>OFFICER:</b>	Trujillo, R. # 136	
<b>OFFICER:</b>	Ramirez, H. #139	

### SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:

On Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014, my partners (Officers Trujillo #136 and Ramirez #139) and I (Officer Anderson #127) were working as contracted, uniformed security officers for the Hollywood Business Improvement District (H.B.I.D.) / Andrews International 6801 Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, CA. 90028 (323) 465-0122. We were assigned to the bicycle team as B-6.

### INVESTIGATION:

On the above date at approximately 1030 hours, we were conducting business checks / contacts at 7095 Hollywood Boulevard "La Brea Plaza". As we exited the "La Brea Plaza" parking lot we observed a male black adult (Later identified as Phillips, Derrick Lee DOB:08/22/69) seated on the planter wall of the business "Emerson Theater" (Located at 7080 Hollywood Boulevard), directly south of our location, across Hollywood Boulevard. This location is known for the high incidents of drinking in public violations.

I observed Phillips holding what appeared to be a clear glass bottle in his right hand. Phillips then placed the bottle to his lips / mouth, tilted his head back and took drink. Phillips then placed the bottle behind a small tree that was directly behind him in the planter. We decided to make contact with Phillips to ascertain if he was drinking an alcoholic beverage in public.

Upon making contact with Phillips I asked him, "Where is your alcohol?" Phillips replied, "it's right there." As Phillips made his reply he pointed his left index at the 200 milliliter "Taaka" brand Vodka bottle (40 % Alcohol by Volume / 80 Proof) that he placed behind the small tree in the planter. I recovered the "Taaka" Vodka bottle from behind the tree where Phillips placed it and noticed that it was approximately ½ full. I asked Phillips why he placed it behind the

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tree. Phillips replied, "Because I was trying to be respectful."

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We advised Phillips that we were placing him under "Private Person's Arrest", as per 837 Penal Code - (Private Person's Arrest - Authority To Arrest / see attached form) for 41.27 (c) Los Angeles Municipal Code - (Drinking in Public). Phillips was handcuffed (adjusted /double locked for safety and comfort) without incident. Officers Coogee and Ayala (FB-4) responded to our location to transport Phillips to LAPD Hollywood Station. We escorted Phillips to the patrol vehicle, placed him in the rear passenger seat, and seat belted him in.

### **CITE and RELEASE:**

FB-4 transported Phillips to LAPD Hollywood Station where LAPD patrol Officer Chavarria #32280 confirmed Phillips' identification, via C.L.E.T.S. (California Law Enforcement Telecommunication). Phillips was issued a release from custody citation for the listed charge (RFC# 85272) and was ordered to appear at the Metropolitan Court House, 1945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, 90007, on 06/12/2014, at 0830 Hours with the approval of the Watch Commander Sergeant Vidal.

### **ADDITIONAL:**

Phillips has two prior contacts / arrest with B.I.D. Officers.

Phillips advised Officers that he purchased the "Taaka" Vodka at a liquor store located at Sunset Boulevard and La Brea Avenue.

### **EVIDENCE:**

The "Taaka" Vodka was disposed of by Officer Ramirez.

### **PICTURE(S):**



### **INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:**

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No visible or complained of injuries.